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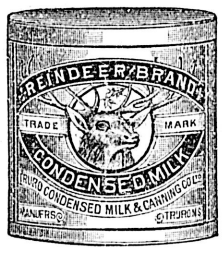

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Reassuring Effect of Mr. Foster's Budget Speech — Doleful Cartwright's Miserable Failure.

Laurier's Attack on Sir Frank Smith—Passes to Members—Mr. Charlton's Chestnut.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 4.—With the budget before the country the work of the session may be fairly said to have commenced. Despite the indifferent state of his health, the Finance Minister yesterday delivered what is acknowledged to be the best budget speech which he has ever presented. A considerable portion of it was taken up in explanation of the financial affairs of the country. For the past year the deficit was $1,210,332, and for the present year his estimate is $4,500,000. Mr. Foster does not propose that there shall be any further deficits during his regime. He is going to make the revenue and the expenditure balance, and may possibly be a little bit to the good when the accounts are made up on June 30, 1896. This result is brought about by some slight tariff changes, of which your readers have already been apprised by wire. The increase in the duties on sugar can well be justified and consumers generally cannot complain much about paying half a cent a pound more for their sweetener. Lovers of whiskey may grumble a little at the increase in the tax on spirits, but it does not amount to a great deal, although in the aggregate it will be beneficial so far as the country's finances are concerned. Mr. Foster delivered

AN ADMIRABLE EXPOSITION

of our financial condition. There was a hopeful ring about the speech which must have a reassuring effect upon trade and commerce generally. On all sides there are indications of revival, and the Finrnce Minister painted the outlook in the most glowing terms. He defended the deficit this year as the outcome of the tariff reductions of last year. In the opinion of many members parliament went a little too far in its reductions of last year. The falling off in the revenue consequent thereupon must now be compensated for. It is expected that the budget debate will last several days. The Conservatives will enter upon it with the conviction that they have the best of the argument, as it is impossible to contradict the facts and figures which Mr. Foster has used. Sir Richard Cartwright attempted it and made a most ignominious failure. He completely failed to meet Mr. Foster's points, and had to ask two days' grace in which to prepare arguments.

Mr. Laurier does not often transgress the bounds of

PARLIAMENTARY ETIQUETTE

Although the other day he did not subject himself to reproof from the Speaker, yet at the same time, it is pretty generally admitted that he violated the canons of good taste in his attack upon Sir Frank Smith. Your readers are well aware that at the time of the organization of the Bowell ministry it was stated in the public press quite correctly—and the COLONIST was one of the first newspapers in Canada to make the announcement—that His Excellency had sent for Sir Frank Smith and consulted with him as to the task of the formation of the new Government. There is the authority of Sir Frank Smith himself for this. In the course of a newspaper interview he remarked that the Governor-General had done him the honor of consulting him about forming a new ministry. Sir Frank made this same remark to your correspondent, and to a score of other people in Ottawa. Mr. Laurier in grossly insulting language insinuated that Sir Frank had been guilty of impropriety in allowing his name to be used in connection with the formation of the ministry, as, doubtless, the opposition leader felt and, indeed, admitted, that the fact of the Past Grand Sovereign of the Orange order being recommended by a staunch Irish Catholic like Sir Frank would tend to strengthen Mr. Bowell in the country. Mr. Laurier insinuates that Sir Frank was never sent for by the Governor-General, and that the use of the Governor-General's name was a political dodge. Dispute the fact as Mr. Laurier may, Sir Frank Smith was undoubtedly "sent for" by the Governor-General, and without doubt he recommended His Excellency to call upon Mr. Bowell to form a ministry. Now, the point arises as to whether Sir Frank was called upon by the Governor-General to form a goverment or whether his advice only was sought. It is at this point that a difference of opinion exists. Sir Frank Smith was then convinced, and is convinced to-day, that the Governor-General sought to impose this duty upon him. A friend of the Governor-General has stated that this was not so, that Sir Frank Smith's advice only was sought. Clearly, then, there must have been a misunderstanding between the Queen's representative and Sir Frank Smith. The latter having left His Excellency with the conviction rooted in his mind of the charge that had been entrusted to him, one can well justify the natural pride which led him to tell some of his friends of the honor which had been done him, and the opposition leader was, therefore, not justified in using the strong language which he did.

The discussion on Thursday afternoon relative to the use of railway passes by members of parliament

WAS A REVELATION.

It showed that the criticism of the newspaper press has had effect. Not a single member ventured to justify the drawing of mileage—which, as your readers are probably aware, is at the rate of 20 cents per mile from the member's home to Ottawa—and at the same time make use of a railway pass. Some members want to hand over the amount of the mileage annually voted by parliament, amounting to some $33,000, to the railway companies, and that then the companies be compelled to carry all members of parliament free. The suggestion thrown out by Mr. Ouimet that a law should be passed requiring railway companies to carry members of parliament free without any payment therefor met with more acceptance. It was pointed out that this was the law at the present time in France, Italy and other countries. Sir Richard Cartwright aptly remarked that the railway companies of Canada had already received enough from the parliament without bonusing them further. He mentioned that the Grand Trunk was indebted to the country to the extent of $36,000,000, while the Canadian Pacific railway had received something like $100,000,000. With good reason, therefore, might parliament ask these companies to carry members of both houses free of cost. Incidentally, in the course of the discussion, it transpired that an invidious distinction was made by some railway companies, certain members of parliament receiving passes while others do not. It was pointed out that the effect of putting all members of parliament on an equal footing would be most beneficial. If they had the privilege of travelling from one end of the Dominion to the other it would have a tendency to broaden their views of public affairs, to remove provincial prejudices and to enable them to get a better grasp of events as they transpire in different portions of the Dominion. Dr. Weldon stated that the parliament of Italy had passed its law to enable members of parliament to travel free with this very object in view. It is not at all unlikely, in view of the discussion which took place, that Mr. Mulock may recast his bill in conformity with the suggestions thrown out.

The old habit of doing nothing for the first two or three weeks of the session has been pursued this year. Although this week there has been

ABUNDANT OPPORTUNITY.

for pressing forward public bills which are in charge of private members, yet only two have been touched, even though a dozen were ready. At the time when members are disposed to work the government will be requiring private members' days and then there will be a pretty lively protest. It seems a pity that members cannot get down to work immediately the debate on the address is disposed of.

That chestnut of parliament, Mr. Charlton's bill "for the better observance of the Sabbath" is again to the fore in the commons. Last year it passed the lower house in an emasculated condition, but when it reached the senate it was summarily and incontinently kicked out. As Hon. Mr. Allan, of Toronto, who took charge of the bill there remarked in introducing it, the unpopularity of the progenitor had much to do with the application of the pruning knife in the commons. Mr. Charlton had just been taken to task for his famous visit to Washington, where he had been giving pointers to the Americans as to the manner in which they should squeeze Canada in the lumber schedules of the tariff bill which congress was at that time considering. Mr. Charlton hopes for better success this year. He is again anxious to choke off the Sunday newspaper having in mind, especially, those published in British Columbia. Your readers may, however, depend upon it that the bill will meet with no more favor this year than did its several predecessors.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Consideration of the Remedial Order to Be Further Adjourned—Greenway's Statement.

Claim of the Opposition Leader That the Matter Be at Once Decided.

WINNIPEG, May 9.—(Special)—The battle now waging over separate schools is to be further continued. Upon the re-assembling of the Manitoba legislatuae to-day, Premier Greenway rose in his place and said: "Before proceeding to the orders of the day I desire to say this: When asking the house to adjourn until the present date, it will be within the recollection of tho members that I stated, in view of the gravity of the question involved in the communication from Ottawa, that we would require sufficient time to consider the same. I am now about to ask the house to order a further adjournment till June 13 next, in order that further consideration may be had. I am aware in making the motion that the house do now adjourn, that I am asking the indulgence of the house, because in making the motion it would be required, if my honorable friends opposite insisted, that I should give notice. As it is not the intention to proceed with other business till this matter is disposed of I now desire to move that the house do adjourn to Thursday.

No sooner had the Premier taken his seat than A. F. Martin, leader of the opposition, was on his feet and for two hours he spoke in opposition to the Premier's motion to adjourn. He claimed it was the duty of the government to at once decide upon the school matter. He was himself a Catholic and represented his co-religionists there. The delay was simply a move to shelve the responsibility upon other shoulders and he strongly protested against such tactics. Mr. Martin continued speaking until 6 p.m Premier Greenway then asked him to move the adjournment of the debate till the evening, to which Mr. Martin assented, and the house adjourned.

At the evening session Mr. Martin continued his speech, and was followed by Mr. Pendergast who regretted the government had found it necessary to take a further adjournment.

Attorney-General Sifton said the remedial order as submitted by the Dominion government involved a return to the old system, and this they did not propose to do. There were also a great many other phases of the question and further time must be taken for consideration.

The question was then put: "Shall the rules be suspended?" There was no dissenting voice and the Legislature was declared adjourned to June 13.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Dalton McCarthy's Harmless Fireworks—Manitoba School Question.

Col. Prior Re-elected President of the Artillery Association—Mr. Corbould, M.P., Recovering.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 9.—The house was engaged all day discussing the conduct of Lt.-Governor Schultz in securing an opinion from Mr. Bourinot on the remedial order. Mr. McCarthy led off, and strongly condemned the Governor for exceeding his constitutional powers. The debate was continued with great animation for several hours, and finally the subject dropped.

Sir Richard Cartwright strongly dissented in the public accounts committee to-day from the views of some Liberal members who thought the ministers should give the details of their travelling expenses. Sir Richard and Mr. Gibson thought some latitude should be given.

Mr. Corbould is just recovering from a severe attack of the measles, which developed the day after he arrived here. He expects to be out in a few days.

Col. Prior was re-elected president of the Artillery Association to-day. Ex-Governor-General Lord Derby having failed to supply the promised cups for the ordnance competitions of 1892, the association decided to purchase them.

Sir C. H. Tupper has left town for a few days' rest.

Mr. Charlton has secured the replacing of his Sabbath observance bill on the order paper.

The Dominion steamship line will put in a tender for the Atlantic service against the Allans.

Hon. Dr. Montague has introduced a bill fixing the date of the Yale and Cariboo elections on the same day as the other ridings.

The further adjournment of the Manitoba legislature is regarded as an indication that the Liberals do not want to outline their policy.

NEWFOUNDLAND AND CANADA.

The Premier in Favor of Confederation if the Terms Offered Are Satisfactory.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld, May 9.—(Special)—As anticipated the Legislature adjourned for a week. Prime Minister Whiteway announced that no answer had been received from the Canadian government regarding Confederation, therefore the Newfoundland delegates to Ottawa were not ready to present the final terms. He urged a week's adjournment in order to enable the terms to be received. If nothing definite is received by next Thursday, he would, he said, consider the negotiations off and present an alternative scheme, consisting of a reduction of the public expenditures, the curtailment of some grants and the abolition of others, the dismissal of many officials, an increase of the taxes and a revision of the tariff. Premier Whiteway, Minister Morris and Receiver-General Scott announced themselves as being in favor of Confederation if the terms allowed by Canada were satisfactory. The colony's finances, they said, would have been much better had it not been for the extravagance of their predecessors in office. The opposition speakers criticised the delay in presenting the public accounts and taunted the government with delaying the question of confederation until too late to put it before the people at the general election. The opposition urged the appointment of a royal commission. Confederation, however, is certain if Canada's terms are favorable.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Hudson's Bay Railway Survey Progressing Satisfactorily—"It Was the Cat."

WINNIPEG, May 9. — (Special) — The Brandon Presbyterians have decided unanimously to extend a call to Rev. E. A. Henry of Knox College, Toronto, to accept the pastorate of the church.

Contractor D. Grant, one of the Hudson Bay railway promoters, returned last evening from north of Portage la Prairie. He states that the surveyors are making excellent progress and the route will be mapped out earlier than had been anticipated. Right of way agent Conklin expects to leave for the West at once.

Senator Kirchhoffer, who was in the city en route to Brandon, had an extended interview with President Sutherland. Mr. Kirchhoffer says the Hudson Bay order-in-council will pass both houses despite opposition from both political parties.

Rev. James W. Pedley, of Vancouver, and brother of Rev. H. Pedley, of this city, passed through Winnipeg to-day en route to Montreal, having been invited to preach in Emmanuel church there.

At Portage la Prairie jail yesterday Fred. Lodge, of McGregor, charged with attempted rape on an eight-year old girl and sentenced to twenty-three months at hard labor and twelve lashes, was strapped to a triangle and flogged in the presence of the officials and prisoners. The prisoner broke down and howled with pain, although his back was not cut sufficiently to cause loss of blood.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

U.S. Indians Illegally Trapping Beaver—Gold and Platinum Hydraulic Mining.

Escaped Convict Surrenders—Slept on the Railway Track—Burglaries in Westminster.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 9.—Six months ago Chilian Consul Morris personally aided three residents of the United States of Colombia. Mr. Morris yesterday received a letter, written in Spanish, from the Colombian authorities, warmly thanking him for his disinterested assistance to their countrymen, and stating that the generous aid tendered by a Chilian representative to native Colombians was a further illustration of the friendship existing between Chili and the United States of Colombia.

Two more horses have been purchased by the fire department at a cost of $300. The department will be improved all around so that the insurance companies may continue to class Vancouver property as an A 1 risk.

Should the superintendent of the educational department consent, the pupils in all the schools will be given a holiday on May 10, to enable them to attend the May Day celebration at Westminster.

The police investigation was continued far into the night yesterday, but no damaging disclosures were made.

The aldermen were paid their first quarters' salary to-day amounting to $625, or including the mayor's portion $1,090.

Tenders will be asked for the completion of the reservoir.

The Comox arrived from the North last night, bringing M. Manson, J.P., who makes the trip for the purpose of giving evidence in the Lobb trial. It will be remembered Lobb held up the crew of Mr. Manson's police boat, and shot and wounded Engineer J. Grant.

Wm. Brownley, who escaped from the Westminster chain gang in 1892, came up for hearing before Capt. Pittendrigh to-day. He pleaded guilty and was sent for trial. He said that for two years he had drifted from one place to another trying to earn an honest living; but every time he got a job and was well to work, some fellow who recognized him would whisper in the boss's ear "escaped convict," and he would be let out quick. He came to Victoria, not caring what became of him, and half anxious to serve his time so that he would be no more a criminal in the eyes of the law.

At the Fruit Growers' meeting held at Mission a resolution was passed endorsing the proposed action of the Ontario Fruit Growers' association to urge the federal government to appoint a commissioner to England to introduce Canadian fruit into the British market.

The educational department has granted a holiday to the pupils of all the schools in Vancouver and Westminster to enable them to attend the May Day celebration.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 9.—The water of the Fraser is rapidly subsiding at Chilliwack and other places where the tide was very high.

A very successful ball was held in St. Leonard's hall, under the auspices of the Canoe club.

The Anglo-American Gold and Platinum Hydraulic Mining company have had their pipes sent to the mines, and to-day a number of men started for the locality to place the pipes in position. The company expect to be able to begin operations by July 15

A drunken man lay down on the C.P.R. track and went to sleep on Wednesday afternoon. He was there when the incoming passenger train arrived. The engineer stopped the train, with great difficulty, in time to save the man's life.

An extra policeman has been put on night duty since the attempted burglaries. This throws all the day work, clerical and otherwise, upon the chief. Many citizens complain that they have positively no protection during the day under these arrangements, and that roughs are doing as they please on the public streets, as the chief is obliged to attend to his office work and there is no one in authority to keep order.

The Royal Agricultural Society met yesterday. The dates for holding the show will be October 8, 9 and 10. Lord Aberdeen has promised that if he can possibly be present he will open the exhibition. A special children's day will be arranged. Nearly all the judges and special committees have been appointed. The affairs of the society are in a sound condition financially.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, May 9.—Complaints are made that parties are shooting sheep in the neighborhood of Nanaimo River Falls. Several carcases show that buckshot had been used in their destruction. At present there is no clue to the perpetrators but the opinion prevails that a band of sheep pirates exist who work the sheep islands to the south of Nanaimo, and frequently make raids on the settlers a few miles inland. In nearly every case the carcase is taken away.

In the provincial police court yesterday John James, a Seattle Indian, appeared on a charge of trapping beaver at McKay lake. The game act provides that no one, not domiciled in the province and not holder of a license, shall trap beaver, etc., for the purpose of selling their pelts. Constable McLean arrested the accused with a letter in his possession acknowledging the receipt of one skin, and offering a good price for more. A conviction was secured and the defendant fined $25 with costs.

Coal is being mined at the Alexander and contracts for the driving of several levels have been let.

VERNON.

VERNON, May 8.—The following are the new members of the town council: Albert G. Fuller and Thomas H. Milne vice G. G Henderson and S. C. Smith resigned; Fred. H. Barnes to replace W. R. Megaw, resigned; and W. C. Pound to replace W. T. Shotford, resigned.

CHILLIWACK.

CHILLIWACK, May 8.—At an adjourned meeting of the Chilliwack Fruit Growing and Shipping Association Saturday night G. W. Chadsey, A. H. Gillanders, E. A. Wells, G. R. Ashwell and Joseph Peers were appointed members of the managing committee. It was decided that a communication be forwarded to the Minister of Agriculture requesting that the Indians be compelled to clean and spray their trees in conformity with the horticultural board act (clause 5), enforced on white settlers, and also that a copy of the letter be sent to the Indian agent and Dominion M.P.

A meeting of the Fraser River relief committee was held on Wednesday afternoon at the city hall, when the business that has accumulated since the last meeting was disposed of. The relief work is practically finished, though occasionally assistance is being sent out where urgently required. A young lady who suffered by the flood wants the committee to have her piano tuned.

The water in Hope slough is now rising very rapidly and in the place of a still calm water we now have a swift current. Very few plows are in sight, the spring work is almost entirely completed and logging, etc., has again commenced.

"Skowkale Billy" is in Victoria attending the Methodist Conference as a representative of the Indian tribes in this district. This is the first time in the history of the province the Indians have been represented at conference by one of their own creed, and "Billy" feels highly elated over his appointment.

STIRRING TIMES AHEAD.

The Japanese and Others Likely to Create Trouble—Will President Dole be Long In Office.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—It is probable the next sixty days will develop some very exciting scenes in Hawaii. Private information recently received by Clarence W. Ashford in this city indicates that several kinds of trouble are gathering around the government of Sanford B Dole and his colleagues.

The Japanese, who are numerous on the Islands, and who are feverish and elated over the victory of their mother country in the war with China, threaten to come forward and become serious factors in the government of Hawaii and the adjustment of its affairs. Among the Japanese now on the islands there are several hundred trained soldiers; in fact enough of them to seize control of the government at any time, should they so choose. The natives are restless and dissatisfied, and only await an opportunity to fly into the thick of another insurrection. It is plain, judging from the information received by Mr. Ashford, that the basis of operations in the next outbreak will be the island of Maui.

"I have nothing to do with these operations," said Mr. Ashford, "but as I am known to be an enemy of the Dole crowd and a sympathizer with any movement that will bring about a real republic, a government by the people and for the people of Hawaii, my friends naturally keep me advised of what it is doing. It is my firm belief that Mr. Dole and his fellow officials will not be in office on the first of next August."

Advices received here to-day from Honolulu dated May 2, per steamer Mariposa, are as follows: "The letter demanding the recall of Minister Thurston is here and was read at the executive session of the council yesterday afternoon. This letter had been to Hongkong. It went past Honolulu in a bag with several hundred others. The ground of the objection to Thurston is confined to a single transaction. The sole offence alleged is that Thurston, at the legation, showed to reporters private letters addressed to himself from Honolulu. The particular letter that gave such offence to the Secretary of State intimated in strong terms that Cleveland and Gresham were largely responsible for the January uprising here."

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The following were the closing prices in New York stocks to-day.

Atchison & Santa Fe	7¼
Burlington & Quincy	78¾
Canadian Pacific	50¼
Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis	44⅝
Chicago Gas	74⅛
New York Central	100
Canada Southern	54½
Delaware & Hudson	132
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	161½
Erie	13½
General Electric	34
Jersey Central	98⅜
Kansas & Texas	18
Louisville & Nashville	59
Lake Shore	144⅛
Missouri Pacific	29
North American Company	5½
New York & New England	43
Northern Pacific	5½
Northern Pacific (preferred)	23
North Western	98½
St. Paul & Omaha	36¾
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Victoria, 7th May, 1895. my8-eod

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E. A. WILMOT,
my2 tf City Engineer.

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By order,
E. A. WILMOT,
my2-tf City Engineer.

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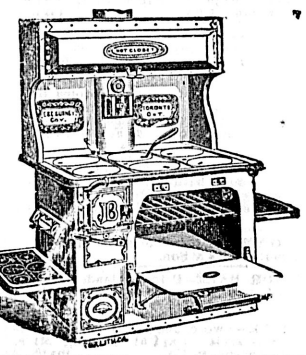

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Estate of William Robertson, of North Saanich, deceased, intestate.

All persons indebted to or having any claims against this Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness and send particulars of their claims to the Administrator, Mr. Henry Brethour, of Sidney, North Saanich, Vancouver Island
Dated 29th April, 1895
WILLIAM DUCK,
Solicitor for the Administrator.
ap30-1m-d&w

NOTICE.

Estate of the Honorable Hugh Nelson, deceased.

All persons indebted to or having claims against this Estate are required on or before the 15th day of May, 1895, to make payment or application for payment to the Executors at the office of the undersigned. After the said date the assets of the said Estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the Executors have had notice.
Victoria, B.C., 29th April, 1895.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion Street, Victoria,
ap30-td Solicitors for the Estate.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Winding Up Act, and in the Matter of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Company, Limited Liability.

The creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 14th day of May, 1895, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Arnold Foster Barham, the liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said liquidator, are, by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Hon. Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake, at the Court House, Victoria, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at said chambers is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating upon the debts or claims.
Dated 30th day of April, 1895.
A. F. BARHAM,
my1-tf Liquidator.

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EDUCATION OFFICE.
Victoria, May 1st, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Wednesday, July 3rd, at 9 a.m.:

Victoria.....In South Park School Building.
Vancouver....In High School Building.
Kamloops.....In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonial of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their applications can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A, Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 13th and 15th instants, and to undergo required oral examinations.

S. D. POPE,
my4d&wim Superintendent of Education

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

27th April, 1895.

FREDERICK MCBAIN YOUNG, of the City of Nanaimo, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, to be Official Administrator within and for the County Court District of Nanaimo. my4-6t

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1895.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday ..... 7th May.
New Westminster	Tuesday ..... 14th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday ..... 21st May.
Clinton	Monday ..... 27th May.
Victoria	Tuesday ..... 28th May.
Kamloops	Monday ..... 3rd June.
Vernon	Monday ..... 10th June.
*Donald	Friday ..... 14th June.
*Nelson	Wednesday ..... 19th June.
*Special Assize.	ap19

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
27th March, 1895.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor, under the provisions of the "Pharmacy Act, 1891," as amended by the "Pharmacy Act Amendment Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint the following members of the Pharmaceutical Association of British Columbia, namely: T. M. HENDERSON, of the City of Victoria, CHARLES NELSON, of the City of Vancouver, and T. A. MUIR, of the City of New Westminster, Esquires, a Board of Examiners for the current year.

29th March, 1895.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the "Dentistry Consolidatio Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint th undermentioned members a Board of E aminers to hold office for the several terms placed opposite their respective names, and until their successors have been duly appointed, namely:—

THOMAS J. JONES, of the City of Victoria Esquire, L.D.S., for five years.

W. J. CURRIE, of the City of Nanaimo, Esquire, D.D.S., for four years.

A. J. HOLMES, of the City of New Westminster, Esquire, D.D.S., for three years.

C. H. GATEWOOD, of the City of Vancouver, Esquire, D.D.S., for two years.

ALBERT R. BAKER, of the City of Victoria, Esquire, D.D.S., for one year. ap12-1w

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of April, 1895, to the 1st day of July, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
28th February, 1895. mr2-td

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Opening of the General Sessions at the Metropolitan Church Yesterday.

Election of Officers and Appointment of Committees—First Draft of Stations.

A resolution brought forward by Rev. E. Robson on a question of privilege, preceded the regular business at the opening of the general session of the British Columbia Methodist conference yesterday morning. After the usual religious exercises Rev. Mr. Robson moved, seconded by Mr. W. T. Cooksley of Westminster, that the conference discountenance any canvassing for the election of officers as contrary to the spirit of the constitution.

Rev. Coverdale Watson did not approve of the resolution being put. Such a thing as canvassing was really violating the constitution, consequently it was hard on the conference to intimate that the practice had been introduced.

Rev. Joseph Hall did not consider that the motion could be brought in, as a question of privilege at any rate; while Rev. R. R. Maitland, of Nanaimo, was for laying it on the table.

Rev. Mr. Hall asked for a ruling as to whether the resolution was in order.

Mr. John Jessop thought the resolution would do much harm and no good, and that it was an interference with freedom of speech.

Rev. C. M. Tate was afraid the resolution was almost to late to meet the object sought to be attained, for the canvassing had been going on for some time. Last year members of the conference had come to him and asked him to vote in a certain way.

Rev. J. P. Bowell, of Surrey, created some amusement by jocularly saying that he already had promised four or five brothers his vote in return for theirs. Seriously, he maintained that if he had not a mind of his own he did not want anyone else's.

Rev. Joseph Hall argued that a man had a right to express his opinions as to who should be elected, and the members of the conference must be "ninnies" if they did not know their own minds.

Rev. T. W. Hall, the president, took the sense of the conference as to whether the motion should be put, and that being decided affirmatively the resolution also was carried.

The Secretary, Rev. W. W. Baer, of Vancouver, wanted it distinctly noted that the resolution did not affect him. He said this because it had been intimated that he had been a wire-puller. He challenged anyone to say that he was a wire-puller at any time.

Rev. Mr. Green made the same challenge as Rev Mr Baer.

Rev. J. F. Betts, of Kamloops, wanted the subject dropped, but

Rev. R. R. Maitland rose to say that he was another one who wanted to make a denial. He had been charged by a brother sitting on the floor at the present time with being associated with an organized clique to overturn a certain set of office holders in the conference. He challenged any man to say he had stated a word to any man, young or old, that would make him liable to such an accusation. He would hurl back such a charge in the teeth of any man who made it.

The Chair remarked that as long as the members had clear consciences they need fear nothing, and the subject was then dropped, it being decided that the expression of opinion being sufficient the resolution should not appear on the minutes.

Next came the election of officers.

Rev. S. Cleaver, of the Metropolitan church, Victoria, was elected president, and amid general applause took the chair, the outgoing president, Rev. T. W. Hall, of Westminster, welcoming him. In accepting the position Rev. Mr. Cleaver referred laughingly to the resolution just passed and offered to give any of the brethren points on canvassing. This was a country of rapid growth, but he had no idea that the few votes given him last year would grow to so many now. He only hoped the boom would not be followed by a "bust up." He finished by promising to do his best in his new position.

The office of secretary after a close contest between Rev. W. W. Baer, of Vancouver, and Rev. J. P. Bowell, of Surrey, fell to the latter.

Rev. Mr. Baer welcomed the new secretary, who, in thanking the conference, said he liked the honor, but was afraid he did not like the work. He sometimes felt that he was was naturally lazy. (Laughter). He was afraid the brethren seemed to have the same idea, but he would do his best.

A prayer meeting closed the morning session.

After the opening of the afternoon session, Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland was appointed journal secretary and Rev. J. Calvert, of Salmon Arm, and Mr. T. R Pearson, of Westminster, assistant secretaries. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring president and secretary, both gentlemen responding.

The appointment of the nominating committee came next, the members being Rev. J. Hall and John Haggart, Victoria district; Rev. C. Ladner and W. T. Cooksley, Westminster district; Rev. J. A. Wood and J. Calvert, Kamloops district, and Rev. J. S. Spencer and Sheriff McMillan, acting for Simpson district.

During the afternoon Rev. D. MacRae, Rev. Dr. Campbell and Rev. A. B. Winchester, of the Presbyterian church, who were present, were asked to sit as corresponding members, and the two latter gentlemen made short addresses, wishing the conference success in its work.

The recommendations made the day before by the ministerial session as to probationers being continued at college were referred to the educational committee.

A new mission at Port San Juan was created, the intention being to supply it if possible temporarily. In this connection Rev. Jas. Woodsworth, superintendent of missions, stated that a most conservative course must be adopted, as the matter of expense had to be carefully considered.

A recommendation from Victoria district, asking for some arrangement of boundaries so that Cowichan flats might be taken in, was referred to the mission committee. A request from Westminster district for the formation of a mission taking in Mount Pleasant, Epworth, Daniel's school house and Central Park was referred to the stationing committee, as was also a request that one of the Chinese missionaries might during the coming season attend to his countrymen on Lulu Island.

A new and important mission decided on was that of Rossland in West Kootenay, taking in Nakusp, Fire Valley and the Trail Creek country. Rev. Mr. Betts and Rev. Mr. Morden spoke strongly in favor of the new mission, especially in view of Rossland's rapid growth and the large population the mining development is attracting to that part of the province.

Rev. Messrs. Green and White were selected to prepare the annual pastoral address.

A number of memorials from the various districts, including one from Victoria district asking that the meeting of conference be changed to the first week in June, were referred to the memorial and miscellaneous resolutions committee.

Just before adjournment the nominating committee presented their report, which was adopted. The various committees are:

SUNDAY SCHOOLS—Revs. J. Robson, J. P. Hicks, J. Calvert and D Jennings; Messrs. C. Spencer, J. Tuttle and J. H. Woodside.

EPWORTH LEAGUE—Revs. J. Hall, S. J. Thompson and E E. Hardwick; Messrs. John Jessop, A. C. Wells and C. Lindmark.

CONTINGENT FUND—Revs. C. Bryant, Jas. Turner, J. P. Bowell, E. Hardwick, G. H. Morden, J. A. Wood and D. Jennings; Messrs. W. Morris, T. Bryant, J. W. Mills, R Ashton, W. H. Bond, John Calvert and C. Spencer.

EDUCATION — President of conference, Revs. R. R Maitland, J. H. White, C. A. Procunier, D. Jennings, W. W. Baer; Messrs. D. Donaldson, E. Odlum, A. J. McLellan, D. Spencer and J. Jessop.

SUSTENTATION—Revs. R R. Maitland, John Robson, J. P. Hicks, E Robson, J. F. Betts and J. A. Woods; Messrs. D Spencer, R. Smith, T. R. Pearson, W. Tufts, J. H. Woodside and C. Spencer.

MEMORIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS—Revs. Jas. Turner, G H Morden and W H Pearce; Messrs. E Nicholas and J. B. Newcombe.

STATISTICS—Revs. J. Robson, J. P. Bowell, C A. Procunier and D Jennings.

TEMPERANCE—Revs. A. E Green, and R. Beavis; Messrs. Ralph Smith, R J. Irwin, J. R. Ashton, J. C. Spencer, Jas. Cunningham, and Chief Billy.

STATE OF WORK—Revs. W. W. Baer, T. Crosby, and J. W. Winslow; Messrs. Wm. McCraney, R. H. Whiddam, A. N. Miller, J. E. McMillan, and James Tilton.

CHURCH PROPERTY—Revs. J. Hall and R. B Beavis; Messrs. M. Humber, G. R. Ashwell, and J. C. Spencer.

MISSIONS—President of Conference, Revs. Jos. Hall, C. M. Tait, R. R. Maitland, T. W. Hall, E. Robson, D. Jennings, C. Ladner, J. F. Betts, A. E Green, T. Crosby, G. H. Raley, J. A. Woods, and J. C. Gardner; Messrs. W. Morris, J. Haggart, W. T. Cooksley, A. C Wells, Tom Chue, G. R Ashwell, John Calvert, D. Spencer, J. E McMillan, R. Smith, C. W. Gillanders, G. Robinson and A. E. Carter.

It may be noted that there have been no deaths among the members of the conference during the past year.

The revised discipline comes into force at the present conference, one of the principal features being that the studies of probationers are increased from four to five years.

For the first time examination of Chinese probationers has been conducted in Chinese as well as English.

A full-blood Indian, Chief Billy of Westminster district, and a Chinaman, Tong Chue Tom, of Victoria, are among the lay delegates.

FIRST DRAFT OF STATIONS.

Victoria District — Metropolitan, S. Cleaver, M.A.; D. D. Birks. Centennial, J. F. Betts, C. Bryant, superannuated. Victoria West, James Turner. Chinese, Chan Sing Kai. Saanich, J. J. Ashton, B A., B.D. Duncan, E. Manuel. Maple Bay and Salt Spring Island, A. J. Gaebel.

Nanaimo Central, Robt. R. Maitland, LL B.; Haliburton Street, Samuel Wilkinson; Nanaimo Chinese, to be supplied; Wellington, R. Wilkinson; Union, C. H. M. Sutherland.

Cape Mudge and lumber camps, to be supplied; Nitinat, W. J. Stone; San Juan, to be supplied; Indian Tribes, C. M. Tate; Japanese Mission, to be supplied; College, E. V. Smith.

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JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.

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LITTLE ECONOMISTS.

There are some people who talk as if the increased expenditure of the Government is so much waste. They cannot see why more should be required now than was needed fifteen or twenty years ago. They forget that the business of the country has increased in a far greater ratio than its population. The expenditure under the head of railways, for instance, has increased in sixteen years by $1,200,000 or more than fifty per cent. This the small economists exclaim against as great extravagance. But when it is known that the revenue from railways has increased in those sixteen years by $1,650,000 or over one hundred per cent., it is evident that the criticism must be modified. The mileage of the Government railways has also increased fifty per cent.; the number of passengers carried is greater by one hundred per cent., and the freight is increased one hundred and fifty per cent. All this shows that there are two sides, and one of them a very favorable one, to this railway account. Then the indirect benefits received by the country from railway construction must be taken into consideration. We are pretty sure that the people through whose provinces these railways run believe that they have been benefited by their construction in a hundred ways.

The post office expenditure, we are told, has doubled since 1878. Have the people of the Dominion enjoyed advantages at all commensurate with the increased expense? The Post Office Department now costs the country $4,400,000; in 1878 the Post Office expenditure was only $2,100,000. The revenue of the department has more than doubled since the advent of the Conservatives to power. "The number of letters handled is almost three times that of 1878 The number of periodicals is doubled. The money order business has more than doubled. Mail routes have been extended to places which were hundreds of miles from a post office in 1878. Daily mails have taken the place of weekly mails."

From this we see that the people have received value for their money, and we have no doubt that thoughtful and intelligent Canadians consider that the accommodation has been cheaply obtained. If the post office department before they gave a new settlement a post office, or opened a fresh mail route, had made a close calculation as to whether it would pay or not, would the people be as well satisfied as they are, or would the post office service be in as thriving a condition as it is to-day? One-fifth of the increased expenditure, we learn, is in the post office department.

The subsidies to the provinces have been exceeded by half a million. The militia expenditure is some three quarters of a million more than it was in 1878.

The penny-wise-and-pound-foolish economists of the Liberal party would keep the country back, because they are not broad-minded enough to see that there are periods in the development of a new country when what at the time it is made appeared to some to be a foolish expenditure, proves the best policy and true economy. The construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway is a case in point. When Sir John Macdonald and his colleagues undertook to construct a railway across the wilderness of the Northwest and over the mountain chains of British Columbia, the little economists were astounded. They unhesitatingly declared that the scheme was a mad one and that it would never be carried out in Sir John's day. Some went so far as to say that the Conservative leader knew this and that he never really intended to carry out his agreement with British Columbia. The construction of the great trans-continental railroad required the expenditure of immense sums of money when there appeared to be little prospect of getting any adequate return for the outlay, direct or indirect. The road has been built, and Canada is not ruined as was predicted so confidently. On the contrary, is not Canada richer, more important, more prosperous, and are not her prospects infinitely better with the railroad and the debt incurred for constructing it, than they would have been if the little economists had had their way and the country had poked along under their narrow-minded and miserly rule? Economy is a good thing, but economy should be broad-minded and far-sighted, otherwise it quickly degenerates into unprogressive penuriousness.

THE BEST REPLY.

The success of the Hon. Mr. Foster when he went to London in October last to borrow money, is the best reply that can be made to the complaints and the predictions of the blue-ruin howlers. He then invited tenders for a loan of £2,230,000 of 3 per cent. bonds at a minimum price of 95, and the tenders aggregated £11,294,222, and the average price obtained was not 95, but £97 9s. 2d. Mr. Foster was offered nearly five times as much money as he needed, and at a higher rate than his minimum price. This shows the estimation in which Canada is held by the best-informed and the shrewdest investors in the world. These men have not listened to the howlings and the wailings of the blue ruin prophets, but they had watched closely and intelligently the progress of Canada, and their eagerness to take up the Dominion loan was the result.

NOT IN A HURRY.

The Leader of the Manitoba Government has decided to defer the consideration of the School question still further. There will, of course, be a good deal of guessing as to his object in pursuing this course. All sorts of motives will, no doubt, be attributed to him by his opponents. But we think that the error he is making, if it is an error, is on the safe side. The subject is one of great importance, in which the peace and harmony of the other provinces are to a certain extent involved, and it is impossible to consider it too carefully and too dispassionately. We hardly think that the delay will be popular in Manitoba. The indications are that the Government would be sustained by a large majority of the people if they took immediate action. Mr. Greenway and his colleagues therefore deserve credit for taking plenty of time to come to a decision.

THE TRUE SITUATION.

As there is a great deal of misunderstanding as to the terms of the advance to the Hudson's Bay Railway Company and the nature of the whole arrangement, it may be well to reproduce what Sir Mackenzie Bowell said on the subject in the senate a few days ago:—

"The house is aware that the Government is now pledged to 6,400 acres per mile and a papment of $80,000 per annum for twenty years, in aid of the construction or the road. The $80,000 I have already intimated is in consideration of services which are to be rendered in the way of postal services, etc. The present proposition or order-in-council, which will be better understood when it is laid before the house, is simply a rearrangement, or, in other words, a loan of $10,000 per mile for a certain length of time, for which the company surrenders, or rather gives in security, the $80,000 per annum and the 6,400 acres per mile. I know that the house, or the people, will say, what is true, that this is taking back the land which belongs to us, and it is giving security upon $80,000 per annum to which we are now pledged, and which we need not give if the road is not built. That is quite true, but these are liabilities into which the country has entered, and which we are bound to pay in case they construct the road. They have represented to the government that they could not with those securities float the bonds and obtain the money, and they asked for a rearrangement, or re-adjustment, of the aid which was given. Now that is as far in explanation as probably is necessary at the present moment."

The Premier also explained that the sanction of Parliament must be obtained to this arrangement, which in its present shape is nothing more than a proposal. The Company has not yet received a single dollar from the Government, and cannot secure a single dollar until the consent of Parliament is first obtained. "No Government has power," said the Premier further on in the debate, "to bind itself to pay any public money or to make any readjustment of a bargain, arrangement or contract into which it has entered with any company or individual, without the consent of Parliament."

SPRAYING.

Bulletin No. 23, issued by the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, is peculiarly valuable to the fruit raisers of British Columbia. Its subject is spraying for the prevention of fungous diseases. It is quite a pamphlet, containing full explanations and instructions to the gardener and orchardist.

One of the chief enemies of the fruit-grower is the spore of a parasitical plant, too small to be seen by the naked eye. These spores floating in the air are wafted to the plants, which give them food and a home. It is astonishing to witness the mischief that these small and apparently insignificant plants do. In a very short time they can ruin a flourishing orchard. They cause the leaves to wither, and the fruit to shrivel and to be defaced by unsightly spots. They have been busy among the fruit trees of this city and have done a deplorable amount of damage. As soon as it is seen that a tree is infested by these fungi it should be looked after without delay, for not only will it soon prove barren and unsightly, but it will become a pest centre, spreading disease in every direction. The nature of this enemy of gardens and orchards is thus described in Bulletin No. 23:

The word *fungi* is used to designate an exceedingly numerous class of plants of simple organization. We must never lose sight of the fact that they belong to the vegetable world and are therefore subject to the ordinary conditions of plant life. Some of them derive their life from living plants or animals; others from dead plants or animals. Those which draw their food from other plants more highly organized than themselves are termed parasites, and it is with this class that the fruit grower is chiefly concerned. . . . . The spores are exceedingly light and easily carried by currents of air. When one falls upon a leaf and is supplied with moisture it germinates by sending out a slender tube, which effects an entrance into the tissues of the leaf through the breathing pores (stomata or intercellular spaces). After the parasitic fungus has thus entered the interior of a leaf it develops rapidly at the expense of the tissues of the latter, and fresh vigor is thus gained by the parasite. This goes on till the vigor of the plant is much lessened or its life destroyed. Some of the principal parasitic diseases attack both the foliage and the fruit, as in the case of "mildew" of the grape, "scab" of the apple and pear, and "rot" of the plum and peach.

The best way, and as far as we know the only way, of putting an end to the work of the parasites is to spray the trees with a solution which is to them poison. The Bulletin contains full instructions about the solutions, their ingredients and the proportion of each, and how to apply them. We may say here that "blue stone" is the chief ingredient of the mixture. The tree or bush is not to be drenched but to be sprayed.

At the Experimental Farm experiments have been tried with thirty of these spraying mixtures on all sorts of fruit trees and plants bearing small fruits. The instructions are, therefore, practical. A mixture which has been found to be effective is—4 pounds of copper sulphate (blue stone), 4 pounds of unslacked lime and 50 gallons of water. The treatment, we are told, is entirely preventive, so the spraying must be begun early.

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N. Morrell,	"	W. H. Mendell	"
W. A. Lytell,	"	Do., 1 telescope grip	
Adam Thomson	"	C. Peters, 2 valises.	

J. B. Brown, 1 chest of tools.

Also lot of 50 Trunks, Valises, Packages, etc. Owners unknown.

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A conservative and authentic estimate is given to illustrate the profitable nature of the undertaking, based upon prices paid by other companies engaged in oil-making.

The price of Guano is fixed; the oil is given a nominal rate, but arrangements will be made in Hamburg which will probably give 100 per cent. above the rate given.

Average cost of dogfish each .....1 cent.
Average weight of dogfish.....10 lbs.
Average 12 fish give .....1 gallon oil.
Therefore—
1,000,000 fish give .....5,000 tons fish.
1 000,000 fish give .....83,333 gallons oil.
5,000 tons fish give.....1,250 tons guano.

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1,000,000 fish cost $10,000.00
Annual expenses (wages, etc.).... 12,000.00
$22,000.00

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1,250 tons guano, delivered in Honolulu, will net $20.00 per ton of 2 000 lbs.....$25,000.00
83,333 gallons oil, say 15c..... 12,500.00
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Showing a credit balance of $15,500 for the year's work.

A factory suitable for that amount of material will cost $12,000. This includes all plant and paraphernalia.

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May 16—Real estate. Joshua Davies.
May 16—Unclaimed baggage. Pliny E. Davis & Co.
May 17—Cattle, etc. H. Cuthbert & Co.

Pliny E. Davis &Co. sell this morning at 11 o'clock, on the Hudson's Bay Wharf, foot of Yates street, for account of Canadian Pacific Navigation Co., 11 tons potatoes and 20 tons choice hay. The sale commences sharp on time.

THE CITY.

A SPECIAL meeting of the sewerage committee is called for 11 o'clock this morning.

THE park policeman promises several prosecutions for damaging corporation property at Beacon Hill.

SATURDAY evening band concerts will be given each week of the present month at the Mount Baker hotel.

JOHN H. LINDSAY has succeeded John H. Gaerdes in the proprietorship of the Jubilee saloon, Johnson street.

A SALE of needlework, principally children's clothing, is to be held this afternoon at Christ church cathedral schoolroom.

PROFESSOR LEO BRADLEY, 6 Douglas street, would be glad to receive, as early as possible, the names of 100 girls and 50 boys, to take part in a pretty and interesting cantata for juvenile voices.

COURT Cariboo, I.O.F., has decided to extend an invitation to all the courts in British Columbia and Washington to participate in the anniversary celebration here next month, also to attend the annual church parade.

THE headquarter companies of the B.C.B. G.A. had a parade and march out last evening under the command of Lieut. B. Williams. The attendance was somewhat below the average, but no fault could be found with the marching or the appearance of the men.

THE streets committee of the city council is looking into the advisability of opening out Langdon street, Victoria West. This would give an alternative route round that part of Craigflower claimed by certain property owners and made a source of irritation and dispute by the obstructions occasionally placed across it.

SUNSET lodge, K. of P., held their closing social dance of the season at Castle hall, Wednesday evening, the event being well attended and much enjoyed. The Richardson orchestra supplied the music. Grand Chancellor Byrne honored the party with his presence, and to-night he will pay an official visit to Victoria lodge.

REV. RALPH W. TROTTER, the new pastor of Calvary Baptist church, arrived by Wednesday's boat from the Mainland, and conducted his first service in the church last evening. The recognition service will be held some evening next week, when there will be addresses by the Baptist clergymen of the city, an address of welcome to the pastor, the charge to the church, and special music.

HON. COL. BAKER, provincial secretary and minister of education, has reached Kootenay on his way home from the East; he will remain with his constituents for some little time and will probably arrive back in Victoria about the end of the month. During his stay in the upper country the Colonel proposes to investigate personally the causes of the recent trouble at the Kootenay Reclamation Co.'s works, which culminated in a collision between the company's workmen and Indians from the American side of the line.

IN the divisional court yesterday before Chief Justice Davie and Mr. Justice Crease, the case of McMillan vs. the Western Dredging Co. came up on appeal from the county court. The plaintiff was employed by the defendants on their pile-driver, and being injured brought suit for damages. On trial the jury found for the plaintiff and judgment was given accordingly. From their decision the defendants appealed on the ground that the jury had not found as to contributory negligence. The appeal was dismissed with costs. L. G. McPhillip & Co. for appellants; H. F. Clinton for respondent.

YING LONG who had disobeyed a summons to appear in the police court on Wednesday—for saying nothing but sawing wood on the street during prohibited hours—appeared before Magistrate Macrae yesterday. The culprit had numerous surprises for the police. In the first place, Ying Long proved to be a woman, not a man, with the probability very strong that she had never handled a saw in her life. She owned the wood, she confessed, but she did not know it was wrong, was sorry for it, and would never do it again. Her non-attendance at court in answer to the summons was because the document was not explained to her and she could not read English. The court was inclined to take a merciful view of the case and the woman was allowed to go free on paying the interpreter's fees, $2 50.

THERE was a large audience at Emmanuel Baptist church Wednesday evening, when the cantata "Daniel," and a miscellaneous musical programme were presented by the choir, assisted by a few friends. The cast for "Daniel" was: Queen, Mrs. A. J. Clyde; King, Mr. J. G. Brown; Sister of Azariah, Mrs. Gregson; Daniel, Mr. W. Muir, and Azariah, Mr. Firth. Under the able direction of Mr. G. J. Burnett the whole cantata was presented in most acceptable manner. The principals, with the exception perhaps of Mrs. Gregson, are all well known to Victoria audiences, and it only need be said that their parts were handled in their customary pleasing and capable manner. Mrs. Gregson is a new comer to the city, and has a pleasing soprano voice that was heard to good advantage. The acoustic properties of the church are very poor, however, a fact that had a bad effect on all the evening's entertainment. The second part of the programme consisted of a vocal solo by Mr. A. Hood; organ solo, "Grand Offertoire in G," Mr. J. W. Fisher; vocal solo, Mrs. Gregson; organ solo, "The Pilgrim of Hope," Mr. Burnett, and vocal solo, Mr. Firth. Mr. J. W. Fisher presided at the organ.

THE Women's Council meets in the city hall on Monday afternoon.

F. McB. YOUNG, barrister, has been appointed official administrator for the county court district of Nanaimo.

ROBERT GRANT, of Union, and Joel Broadwell, of Salt Spring Island, have resigned their commissions as justices of the peace.

THERE was no meeting of the W.C.T.U. yesterday, a postponement until June 6 being ordered in consequence of the sessions of conference.

C. A. SCHOOLEY and W. H. Robertson have given formal notice that they intend to lease, open up and operate a stone quarry on Blind creek, Cortez island.

A FORTY-FOOT highway has been gazetted and established in Lake district, running from a point on the new West Saanich road, in section 79, to the boundary line between Lake and Highland districts.

THE British Pacific Fertilizer Manufacturing Co. Ltd., of this city, has been formally organized with a capital of $50,000. Capt. F. D. Walker, Capt. John Irving and Joseph Pierson are the incorporators.

THERE was a good attendance at the entertainment given in the Strawberry Vale Methodist church last evening. Parfitt's orchestra and the Hall Bros. furnished instrumental music, and the rest of the programme consisted of vocal music, recitations, etc. A number of people went out from town.

MRS C. HALPENNY, secretary of the entertainment committee of the Sons and Daughters of St. George, desires through the COLONIST to thank the public for their patronage at the social held on April 23, for the benefit of the bereaved parents of Engineer Arthur Bloor, of the Velos. The receipts for that entertainment totalled $97 and expenses $20, leaving a balance of $77, which has been forwarded to the bereaved parents in England.

ONE of the most praiseworthy features of the Y.M.C.A. May festival, Wednesday evening, was the floral drill by ten little girls under Mrs. Lang's direction. The festival was well attended, and in addition to the creditable performance of the little girls, there were included in the evening's programme four vocal numbers by Mr. Cave, Miss Mabel Lyons, Miss Martin and Mr. H. Cecil E. Evans; a violin solo by Mr. H. Cecil E. Evnas, and a recitation by Miss E. Casad, each of which was heartily received.

A SUCCESSFUL entertainment under the management of Mr. Chappell was given in Blue Ribbon hall, Esquimalt, on the 8th instant, on behalf of the funds of St. Paul's church. The programme was chiefly by the officers and men of H.M.S. Nymphe, which possesses a considerable amount of talent among her crew. Mr. Chappell's song, "On Guard," in character, was rendered in fine style, while Dr. South gave three or four songs in his usual capital voice. Mr. Hogan in his stump speech on "Woman's Rights" was a treat, and the banjo solo by Messrs. Pover, Brice and Hogan was well rendered and encored. Songs by Messrs. Johnson, Spicer, Pover, Cornell and Hogan were given with effect and received loud applause, as did also a step dance by Mr. Hogan. Several of the songs were given in character. Messrs. Brice and Bamsey gave solos on the piano and violin, which were much appreciated; they also accompanied the singers during the evening. The concert concluded with a laughable nigger sketch entitled the "Troublesome Servant," in which Messrs. Chappell and Pover took part. Rev. Cato Ensor Sharpe, vicar of the parish, presided, and on behalf of St. Paul's church thanked the performers for their services.

A LARGE party of tourists, under the pilotage of Vernon Purdy and the management of the Pennsylvania railway company, arrived by the City of Kingston Wednesday and was quartered at the Driard yesterday. The visitors came up from California over the Oregon & California to Portland, and spent Sunday at the Cascade locks, viewing the rapids of the Columbia and the work on the government locks at that place. The party is composed as follows: Miss Helen J. Innes, of Canton, Pa.; Miss Helen R. Eastgate, of Elmira, N.Y.; J. W. Rushmore and wife and Miss Rushmore, of Plainfield, N J; John R. Bowers, of Martinsburg, Pa.; J. M. Pratt, of South Ashburnham, Mass.; Mrs. M. V. O. Parker and Mrs. Nellie R. Sandheim, of New York; Mrs. Richard Miller, of Chester, Pa; Miss Mary A Kent, of Clifton Heights, Pa.; S. B. Stuchfield and wife, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; W. P. Evans, of Phoenixville, Pa; Miss Mary C. Evans, of Phoenixville, Pa.; W. P. Caldburn and wife, of Peoria, Ill.; Mrs. Samuel Martin, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Alice M. Harper, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Chas. E. Olney and wife, son and daughter, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

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The auction sale of the Bone Works on Government street is postponed until tomorrow.

Descriptive maps of the choice residential lots at Esquimalt are now in course of preparation for the vendors by the COLONIST and will be ready to-night. These lots are entirely unreserved, and any person who has not secured for himself a building lot should not fail to attend this sale. H. Cuthbert & Co. are the auctioneers.

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Steamer "Maude" Returns from the Coast—The Homeward Bound Procession of Sealers.

Captain M. Hare, owner of the steamer Mary Hare, which has been chartered to run to and from the islands of the East Coast in connection with the Victoria and Sidney railroad, expects to leave for Sidney on Sunday. During the week the steamer has undergone alterations which entirely change her appearance, and much for the better. Her house has been lowered and broadened to completely enclose the after part of the vessel. Windows all around give light and cheerfulness to the saloon, which is neatly and comfortably fitted. Owing to the proposed runs of this steamer being very short, no sleeping quarters are required, more rooms for other purposes being thus obtained with all the comforts usually provided in first class passenger boats. Above the cabin is a promenade deck, railed about to the pilot house and officers' quarters. This, too, is provided with seats, and as the summer advances will be covered in with an awning. Forward of the pilot house, which is elevated to a level almost with the smoke stack, is a roomy freight deck, the approaches to which are from the saloon by enclosed passageways on either side of the boiler. Here, too, the galley is located. The steamer's running schedule, which she will, if possible, inaugurate Monday, will be regulated so that people living in the neighboring islands can come to town in the morning and return to their homes in the evening. The steamer's points of call on Monday will be Cowichan, Burgoyne bay, Maple Bay, Vesuvius Bay and all intermediate landings, both ways. On Tuesdays and every alternate day thereafter, the route will be to Fullford Harbor, Beaver Point, Ganges Harbor and Ferndale, returning by way of Galiano, Saturna and Roche Harbor. On either route the steamer will, of course, connect at Sidney with the V. &. S. trains. Once a week an extra trip will be paid Roche Harbor and Friday Harbor.

SEALERS COMING HOME.

The C.P.N. steamer Maude, which returned to port yesterday from the West Coast, reports the sealing schooner Triumph coming up the Straits, the Sapphire at Clayoquot, the Maud S. anchored at Friendly Cove, and the Annie C. Moore, Oscar and Hattie, and Walter L. Rich lying at Ahouset. The latest catch reports, as furnished to Capt. Roberts of the Maude, strengthen the belief expressed in the COLONIST of yesterday that the vessels of the coast sealing fleet will not average 250 skins, if indeed that figure be reached. At last reports the Maud S. had 286 skins, the Ainoka 200, the Enterprise 90, the Saucy Lass 250, the Annie C. Moore 105, the Rich 146, the Oscar and Hattie 147, the Triumph 350, the Sapphire 192, and the Otto 250. The latter had lost a boat when last spoken besides two hunting canoes and their Indian crews, nor had she had any news of them during the month that had elapsed since their separation from the schooner. The Fawn is still short the crew of one of her boats and the Sapphire too has lost three men—two whites and the Indian Ahouset Peter—whom it is feared will be heard from no more. The Triumph has also lost a man, besides having sustained considerable damage to her rigging, and the Maud S. and Annie C. Moore bear yet the marks of the memorable Easter storm. Captain Roberts does not think that any schooner other than the Earle was lost in the Easter gale; he bases his opinion on the usually unreliable character of Indian reports, which, however, leave an explanation still to be furnished for the wreckage encountered. The Maude on her homeward trip had ten passengers, with a full cargo of oil, a few sealskins, and several bundles of valuable land furs.

ONE RESULT OF THE WAR.

A Vancouver special to the COLONIST says: There are now two American schooners loading lumber here for China—one for Tsintien, the other for Shanghai. The U. S. schooner Aida also arrived yesterday to load for the latter port. Many think that these China bound schooners are but the forerunners of a large fleet destined to load lumber here for the Orient, and that one result of the war will be a great demand for lumber, and as Vancouver is the best market for China that we are already on the verge of a boom in that direction. Mill owners are also receiving inquiries from different parts of the world that have hitherto ignored British Columbia, among them Manchester, Eng. The firms there have heretofore procured their lumber from Eastern Canada and the Baltic.

THE "TRIUMPH" IN.

The sealing schooner Triumph, Capt. C. N. Cox, arrived last night with a catch of 350 skins. She had as passengers from Clayoquot, Capt. William Cox of the Sapphire and the Mesdames Cox. The schooner brings no fresh sealing news. Capt. Cox says the weather this year has been the roughest he has ever experienced, and wreckage more plentiful than he has ever before seen. Off Cape Cook, late in March, one of his Indian canoes reported seeing the deck apparently of a large steamer. On the 28th of last month the Triumph lost one of her crew, a sailor named Geo. Angelo, who for many years followed fishing for an occupation. He was lost from the schooner's boom in a heavy gale.

MARINE NOTES.

The sealer Libbie yesterday landed her skins and with the Dora Stewerd was afterwards removed to the upper harbor by the tug Falcon. She will shortly be beached or docked for a cleaning.

American press dispatches announce that the tender of Captain John Irving for the Hassler has not been accepted, for the reason that the captain is not a United States subject.

Steamer City of Topeka called yesterday on her way to Alaska. She has a large number of tourists among her passengers.

The Hawaiian Isles will dock at once for her overhauling, and will then load lumber on the Sound.

The R M.S. Warrimoo arrived at Sydney, N.S.W., yesterday, from Vancouver and Victoria.

The American bark Arcturus has arrived to load lumber for Santa Rosalia.

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Str. Charmer.....from Vancouver.
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" City of Topeka..... " " "
" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
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" Maude..... " Barclay Sound.

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" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " Sitka.
" City of Topeka..... " " "
" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
" Evangel..... " Port Angeles.

SMALL DEBTS COURT.

Magistrate Macrae Has Fixed Its First Sitting for Next Wednesday.

Next Wednesday at 11 o'clock Mr. Farquhar Macrae, stipendiary magistrate, will inaugurate the sittings of the small debts court authorized by the statute passed at the last session of the legislature. Mr. Macrae intends holding sittings in the provincial court room every Wednesday, except when short summonses are necessary. As a temporary arrangement summonses will be issued by Mr. Page, clerk of the police court, till 1 o'clock on Saturdays for the court to be held on the following Wednesday. This small debt court was authorized by the legislature, with the view of making the recovery of small debts less expensive and more speedy than by the present county court method. For this purpose the magistrate is given the same power as a county court judge for debts up to $100 in amount. The county court being held only once a month, considerable delay is caused creditors having to wait over from one month to another. By holding the small debts coutr once a week all this troublesome delay will be avoided. Then the schedule of costs is much less than in the county court, and the whole proceedings are simpler. One of the main differences between it and the county court is that in the new court the magistrate has no power to order costs.

Carpets are ruined by having them cleaned by this scouring process. It brightens them up for the time being, but the strong chemicals used in this process lay in the fibre or body and rot it away, thereby ruining valuable carpets. People should not be deceived by canvassers soliciting such work. We employ no canvassers at the Victoria Machine Carpet Cleaning Works. W. T. Crocker, proprietor, 138 Fort street. Telephone 583

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Nowhere in the annals of art can be found a more picturesque personality or a more remarkable career than that of Amalia Kussner, the miniaturist who is at present attracting more general attention than any other artist in America.

About two years ago—in the winter of 1892 and 1893, to be exact—this young girl, then scarcely more than a child, came to New York. She was alone, without influence, brought no letters and was as absolutely unknown as if just descended from another planet. Moreover, she was a miniature painter, and miniature painting had been practically a lost art ever since photography had come into popular use. When Amalia Kussner arrived in New York, the miniature was known only as a somewhat rare antique, generally the likeness of one's grandmother, painted in short waist and high comb by some foreign artist. Yet less than two years afterward, at the exhibit of the portraits of women last fall, Amalia Kussner's collection of miniatures constituted a veritable blue book. From the jeweled circlets hung in the satin case the faces of many of New York's most beautiful and fashionable women looked out with the fascination that no picture save the miniature radiates. There is an indescribable charm about it that touches the heart, a spiritual beauty that is lacking in all other methods of likeness marking, and Amalia Kussner's work possesses this indefinable quality in an irresistible degree, which may partially account for her phenomenal success.

The difficulty she first encountered after coming to New York was that which many others have met in different lines—an opportunity to show what she could do. Art so superfine and costly as hers belongs exclusively to a small charmed circle composed of persons hav-

AMALIA KUSSNER.

ing both the taste and the means to appreciate it. To reach them was the question, and while the girl artist pondered ways and means she struggled along as best she could, painting several exquisite miniatures of beautiful women in professional life. The youth of the artist seems to preclude the possibility of much study. She had not been taught, for there were then no teachers of the art in this country, and yet these first miniatures are as fine as any she has since done, a fact so singular as to go to prove that Amalia Kussner's artistic performances must be accounted for, as many other otherwise unaccountable things have been, by the one word genius.

But even the inborn gift needs scope for full expression, and it came at last to her in the shape of an introduction to Mrs. Havemeyer, who, recognizing the ability of the artist, not only commissioned her to paint her miniature, but exerted her great influence in Miss Kussner's interest. Thus was opened to her the golden door to the charmed circle which she had so longed to enter, and fortune, as fame, was henceforth hers. Mrs. Lorillard Spencer was another enthusiastic and influential patroness, and her miniature is one of the finest that Miss Kussner has painted.

About the most remarkable feature of her work is the amount of it. To properly estimate this, one must know something of the great labor involved—the unerring accuracy with which each stroke of the tiny brushes must fall, for no painting over is possible, as in other branches of pictorial art; the all but endless detail in hair-fine touches; the

MINIATURE—MRS. M. A. TYLER.

strain on the eyes of the almost constant use of the magnifying glass, since each touch must stand the test, and much of the painting indeed is done under the glass. Yet within two years this young artist has painted scores of miniatures of the most prominent men and women of the country. Several who are familiar with the highest art of Europe prefer Amalia Kussner's miniatures—as, for example, Mr. G. P. Morosini, of whom she has painted two, and Miss Lillian Russell, of whom she has painted three. Among her notable portraits of well known Chicago persons is that of the late General Strong and two of Mrs. Armour. The recent miniature of the last named lady is a radiant gem of Amalia Kussner's art, and its beauty is enhanced by the sumptuous richness of the setting, which is a dazzling serpent of emeralds, with diamond eyes.

The public is naturally interested in knowing something of the personality of the girl artist. She is very small, scarcely taller than a child of 12, with an exquisitely modeled little figure, a

MINIATURE—MISS STRONG.

perfect miniature woman. Her hands are the smallest that ever wrought magic, her eyes are very large and long lashed and dark, her hair is brown and her complexion brilliantly brunette. She lives quietly absorbed in her art and rather shrinking from the social attention showered upon her. It was her purpose to go abroad in the early summer and to open a studio in Paris and later in St. Petersburg. But it now seems unlikely that she will be able to sail earlier than September.

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No. 144.

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"COMPANIES' ACT," PART IV.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The Cariboo Gold Fields, Limited" (Foreign), under the "Companies' Act, Part IV., Registration of Foreign Companies," and amending acts.

The head office of the said Company is situated in England.

The objects for which the Company is established are:

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JOHN IRVING, Manager
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Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

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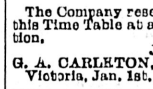

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No. 1 Pass. Daily.		No. 3 Pass. Fri., Sat., Su	H'r Vic.		No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass. Fri., Sat., Su	H'r Vic.
Ar. 12.20 pm		Ar. 8.30 pm	78	Victoria	De. 8.00 am	De. 4.50 pm	1
" 12.16		" 8.25	77	Russell	" 8.04	" 4.55	4
" 12.06		" 8.18	74	Esquimalt	" 7.57	" 4.48	5
" 12.03		" 8.15	73	Stewart's	" 7.54	" 4.45	6
" 12.00		" 8.12	72	Parson's Bridge	" 7.51	" 4.42	8
" 11.53		" 8.06	70	Goldstream	" 7.45	" 4.36	11
" 11.43		" 7.57	67	Langford	" 7.36	" 4.27	14
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" 10.50		" 7.10	58	Shawnigan Lake	" 6.53	" 3.44	28
" 10.40		" 7.02	57	Cobble Hill	" 6.46	" 3.37	31
" 10.25		" 6.53	43	McPherson's	" 6.42	" 3.33	35
" 10.15		" 6.46	40	Koksilah	" 6.35	" 3.26	38
" 10.10		" 6.42	38	Duncan's	" 6.31	" 3.22	40
" 10.00		" 6.35	35	Somenos	" 6.23	" 3.14	43
" 9.53		" 6.26	31	Westholme	" 6.15	" 3.06	47
" 9.38		" 6.11	28	Chemainus	" 5.50	" 2.41	55
" 9.30		" 6.03	19	Oyster Bay Siding	" 5.42	" 2.33	65
" 9.17		" 5.50	12	Crofton	" 5.29	" 2.20	69
" 8.40		" 5.15	73	Nanaimo	" 4.48	" 1.40	82
Ar. 8.20 am		De. 5.00 pm	0	Wellington	De. 4.28	De. 1.20	78

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So many things I do forget,
And fain would I remember
Bright things, glad things, my footsteps met
Before they touched December,
But the home where my childhood learned its songs,
And the trees where my father set them,
And the brook and the bank where the pine belongs,
I never can forget them.

So many things I do forget,
And fain would I remember,
Bright things, wise things, my footsteps met
Before they touched December,
But the friends of childhood's long ago,
By the mountain shadowed river—
With a fadeless light their names shall glow
Forever and forever.

So many things I do forget,
And fain would I remember,
Bright things, sweet things, my footsteps met
Before they crossed November,
But the blue of my angel mother's eyes
And the tears of love that wet them,
And the kisses of one beyond the skies,
I never shall forget them.

So many things I have forgot,
Nor wish I to remember,
Sad things, hard things, I tell them not
To April or December,
But the ivies of the mountain wood,
And the scarlet plums behind them,
Would I forget them if I could,
Forgetting who could find them.

So many things we do forget,
And fain we would remember,
Ere feet that danced the minuet
Have walked to slow December,
But the songs that silent lips have sung
Our memories silhouette them.
We sing them over. We are young
And never can forget them.

—Julia H. May in Boston Journal.

MAN IN THE MOON.

It was the last day of the late great frost, and, unmindful of my 50 odd years, I undertook to skate 20 miles or so along the frozen Lea. When I returned home, I was tired—so tired that scarcely was I seated in my armchair when I found myself nodding, and undoubtedly I should have fallen asleep had not an exceedingly strange circumstance happened.

To be brief, then, I was lifted from my chair in my home in north London, whirled through space for a couple of hours and then deposited gently but firmly on the moon.

Scarcely had I recovered my breath when an aged man of venerable aspect, whom I at once recognized as the man in the moon, approached me and inquired my business. I explained that I was an involuntary trespasser on his hospitality, and then, thinking as I was there I might as well learn something about the history of our satellite and its inhabitants—supposing there were any—I proceeded as respectfully as might be to question the old fellow.

"Yes; you are right," he exclaimed in answer to my query as he placed the load of fagots he was carrying on a projecting mass of granite and rested his back against the cone of an extinct volcano. "I have seen a lot of changes in my time. How old am I? Well, I don't know exactly, but it is some millions of years ago since my first birthday.

"Why, bless my heart, when I was a lad, this old dried up moon was as bright and fresh as your earth is now.

"Seas sparkled in the sunlight, brooks gleamed and flashed through the valleys and forests clothed with verdure the mountains now dead and silent. Aye, these were glorious times. The birds sang in the woods from early dawn to nightfall, the fishes leaped and plashed and leaped and plashed again in every eddy and pool of our prehistoric rivers. Great mammals, some uncouth and some beautiful, but mostly the latter, roamed at will amid the glades of our mighty forests. Then, after a million years or so, man came."

"Man?" I repeated incredulously.

"Yes, man," he reiterated rather testily. "Man, of course. Do you think your earth alone has been the home of man? I tell you he lived and flourished here while the earth was yet formless and void, a vast white hot mass of semi-fluid granite. At first he was weak for lack of knowledge, and fought—often unsuccessfully—with the wild beasts of the forests for food and drink and raiment. Then as he grew older he grew wiser and carved for himself weapons of flint and wood, just as the earth man did a million or two years afterward. Our lunar men were very clever, too—very clever. Not so large or so strong as terrestrial man, perhaps, but quicker to learn. Why, it did not take us more than 200,000 years to perfect our civilization."

"And what happened then?" was my next query.

"Ah, there you have asked a question hard to answer," quoth the old man sadly. "All I know is that one year there came a blight over all things. It was not exactly a plague. It was rather a want of vitality in the atmosphere that reacted with terrible effect on all animate nature. Man, being the most highly organized of all things living, was the first to feel its baneful effects, and he dwindled and pined and finally perished, and the places that had been wont to know him knew him no more forever.

"Then as the sunny atmosphere grew more and more attenuated the mammals first and afterward every form of animal life grew cold and dead. The lowest forms of plant life lingered for a few thousand years longer, until the last drop of water had evaporated into space, in fact, and then they, too, vanished, and the moon was left as you see it today, a dead world, without heat, atmosphere or moisture."

"A sad fate surely, but you must have become resigned," I said soothingly, for the old man was sighing heavily and gazing fixedly into space as though he saw again the lost visions of lone livers he had been describing.

"No, I am not resigned," and he shook his head slowly from side to side. "Both myself and my sister look forward to better times to come."

"Your sister?" I exclaimed wonderingly. "I was not aware"—

"That I had a sister?" he interrupted. "Oh, yes, I have, but I forgot! Of course you have never seen her. She lives on the side of the moon opposite to the earth, amid mountains and valleys, upon whose bold outlines no earthly eye ha ever gazed. It is by far the best side of the moon, too, but she is getting rather tired of living there and talks about changing places with me. I expect you would be rather surprised down below there if some fine day—or night, rather—you found a woman in the moon instead of a man. Ha, ha, ha!" and forgetful of his recent fit of the blues the old chap gave vent to a hearty guffaw.

"We should indeed," I replied, laughing in my turn, "although I fancy, unless your sister's appearance differs in a marked degree from your own, that we should scarcely be able to distinguish the difference. You must admit yourself that one must possess good eyesight to tell a man from a woman 240,000 miles away."

"'Oh, but," answered the old man, with a touch of family pride, "she is a fine woman! Not bent and bowed with age like me. Indeed she is really 6,000,000 years younger than am I. Then, of course, she dresses in—in"—

"The habiliments suitable to her sex," I ventured to say.

"Precisely, and, like all the women here, is fond of dress. Why, when I last visited her, some 25,000 years ago, almost her first question was, 'How do the women dress now on the earth?' Of course there wasn't much to tell her because—well, the women of that day didn't trouble themselves much about dress, but I am thinking of paying her another visit soon, and then I shall have a different budget of news for her."

"But tell me," I interrupted, for I was not much interested in the old fellow's sister, "something about the earth. You must have seen almost as great changes in the earth as in the moon."

"Almost," was the answer, "but not quite. My world is cold and dead. Yours is still alive, as was mine once, but your turn will come some day, and then we shall both go circling through space, cold, silent and lifeless. But that," he continued, "will be many millons of years from now, almost as many millions as it is since I first set eyes on your planet. Then, as I said before, it was a mere mass of molten matter—a vast white hot ball whirling round the sun and carrying me with it. I remember as though it were yesterday the first beginning of earthly life. At first the seas covered everything, and beautiful specimens of marine flora floated everywhere upon the surface of the water, while in its translucent depths fishes of strange form and glorious coloring disported themselves. Then the dry land began to appear, and by slow degrees the great forests that shrouded as with a mantle all the earth not covered by the waters. For millions of years what you are pleased to call the lower animals were the only denizens of their somber depths, and even after man came it was hundreds of thousands of years before he even partially dominated the face of nature."

"But was there not," I asked, "an ice age?"

"A what?" he exclaimed, with a puzzled expression of countenance.

"An ice age," I repeated. "A period of time when the ice, which, as you are aware, is always present at the poles, spread northward and southward until it enveloped almost the entire globe."

"Oh, yes," responded mine host, with the air of a man trying to recall some long forgotten and altogether trivial incident. "I believe something of the kind did happen, and not more than 100,000 or 150,000 years ago either. But it only lasted about 20,000 years, and I had quite forgotten all about it until you mentioned it."

This concluded the interview, for although I would have liked to have pursued my inquiries further the old chap suddenly snatched up his bundle, bent his back and resumed his orthodox position, at the same time indicating by a gesture that he was not inclined for any further conversation. "We are right over Greenwich observatory," he explained in answer to my look of surprise, "and I don't want the astronomers there to see me without my bundle and talking to a stranger too. It isn't respectable."—London Amusing Journal.

Paper Money and Disease.

There is no place in the world where more dirty paper money is handled from day to day than in the national bank redemption division of the treasury department. There are in existence some 3,500 national banks, each of which has outstanding bank notes ranging in amount from $10,000 or $12,000 up to nearly $500,000. Every dollar of these notes passes through the hands of the men and women employed in the national bank redemption division. This office has been in existence now for about 30 years. There are employed in the division somewhere about 25 girls and women. They handle "untold millions" of bills in the course of a year, and if there was any danger from contagious and infectious diseases in old bank notes it would seem as though this would be the place to find symptoms.

Yet Mr. Rogers, who has been chief of the division for ten years, and who has been connected with it since it was organized, assured the correspondent that there has never been a case of infectious or contagious disease contracted by one of the employees of his office. Every one of them handles the bills sent in for redemption. They are counted and sorted time after time. They are the dirtiest specimens of money to be found in the country.—Rochester Post-Express.

Looking Forward to the Chase.

"You ought to take some rest," said the sympathetic friend. "Can't you go fishing or something like that?"

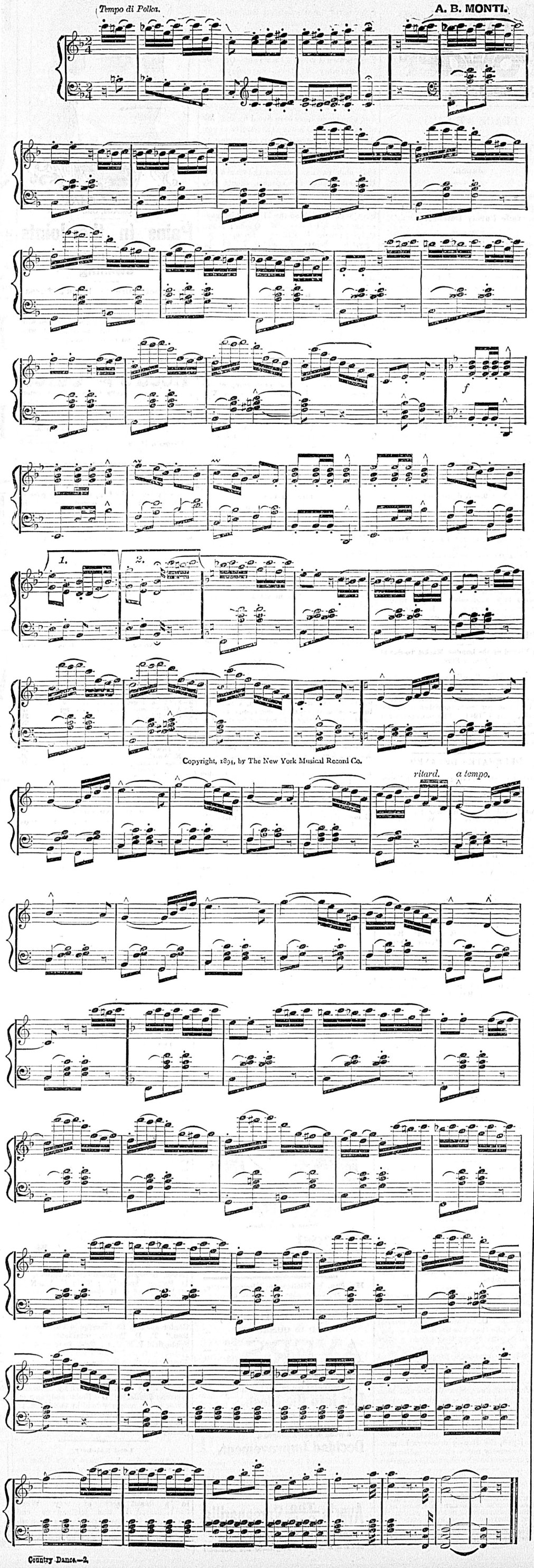
"Well," replied Mr. Weary, "I'm going duck hunting pretty soon."

"Where?"

"Up on F street. My wife has seen a duck of a bonnet that I have to go in pursuit of."—Washington Star.

COUNTRY DANCE.

Tempo di Polka. A. B. MONTI.



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Country Dance.—2.

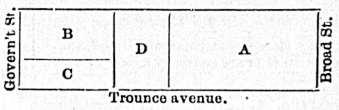
TENDERS.

Valuable Real Estate

Tenders are invited for the purchase of either the whole, or one or more, of the undermentioned Subdivisions of the following property, fronting on Government street, Trounce avenue and Broad street, viz:

LOTS 166 and 166A, BLOCK 13, VICTORIA CITY

Subdivided as follows:



A.—The Green Block, Lot 166A, yielding at the present time $220.00 per month rental, with one office vacant, which was recently occupied by Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co. at the monthly rental of $25.00.

B.—Part of Lot 166, occupied by and under lease to Messrs. W. & J. Wilson, having a frontage of about 34 feet and a depth of about 80 feet.

C.—Part of Lot 166, corner of Government street and Trounce avenue, occupied by the Trustees of the Estate of Green, Worlock & Co. and Capt. J. D. Warren.

D.—Part of Lot 166, with a frontage of about 38 feet on Trounce avenue and a depth of about 56 feet.

One half of Trounce avenue belongs to the whole of this property.

Tenders will be received up to 6 p.m. on Thursday, the 6th June, 1895.

Further information can be obtained from the Trustees.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
J. STUART YATES,
Trustees of the Estate of Green, Worlock & Co.

Victoria, 7th May, 1895. my8-1m

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

Tenders for Cofferdam.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Cofferdam," will be received up to 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, the 15th inst., at the office of the undersigned, where plans and specifications may be seen, for the construction of a Cofferdam at Beaver Lake.

A certified cheque for ten per cent. of the amount must accompany each tender.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
8th May, 1895. my9

NOTICE.

Tenders properly sealed and endorsed "Tenders for Sidewalk, Yates Street," will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday next, the 13th inst., at 4 p.m., for the raising of the sidewalk on the South side of Yates street between Government and Langley streets.

Plan and specification may be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's office,
Victoria, B.C., May 7th, 1895. my8

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Court House, Nanaimo," will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Friday, May 31st next, for the works and materials required in the erection of a new Court House at Nanaimo.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and complete quantities describing the whole work can be obtained upon payment of five dollars ($5.00) at the Government Office, Nanaimo, or at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to five per cent. on the amount of the contractor's tender, which will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 6th May, 1895. m7-2t

IMPORTANT SALE

BY ORDER OF MORTGAGEES.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the 27th day of December, 1893,

TENDERS

will be received up to noon of

Tuesday, the 21st day of May Next

For the purchase of the Plant and Stock of Machinery, etc., of the Westminster Foundry and Machine Works Company. The property now offered for sale comprises amongst other valuable pieces of machinery, one large boiler and engine, three fine lathes, upright drill, large planer, bolt cutter, shaping machine, cupola furnace, several engines, brass furnaces, tumbler for casting, and also a large assortment of tools and implements of every sort and description too numerous to mention in detail.

For terms and further particulars apply to

H. F. CLINTON,
Solicitor for Mortgagees,
No. 601 Columbia Street,
ap26 New Westminster, B.C.

To Steamboat and Cannery Owners.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 11th inst., for the purchase of the steam tug "Clara W. Young," as she now lies in Victoria Harbor, (recently overhauled and ready for service). The owners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

For further particulars apply to

MORROW, HOLLAND & CO.,
Agents for owners.

Victoria, May 1st, 1895. my2-tf

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, the 16th day of May, instant, for the purchase of lot number twenty two (22) of acre lots 34, 36 and 38, Springfield Estate, being part of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, with the one and one half story frame dwelling house and other improvements thereon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated Victoria, 1st May, 1895.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C.,
my2-td Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 9, 1895.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	44°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	40°	49°	
9 a. m..	55°	Highest 58°	5 a.m.—4 S.W.
1 p. m..	57°		1 p.m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	52°	Lowest 39°	9 p.m.—4 S.W.
9 p. m..	46°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—8 hr. 12 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—R Collister, Dr Milne, D W Gillies, D T Lees, Thos A Graham, K G Penn, A L Ryals, A Pendola, Thos Dunn, S Oppenheimer, Mrs Lunn, Jas Cunningham, J D Milne, Rev A K Sharpe, B J Short, R W Clark, C H Bebb, W Hicks, Mrs J Steen, C Lindmark, Mr Colis, George Cruickshanks, F Buker, Chas Polson.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Miss Johnson, Miss Weigle, J Sinnich, R Jones, Mrs Jones, J H Sutthaff, T DeLaney, C Jones, R H Smith, and E Meyer.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Jas Wright, A A Harrison, E E Burchell, M P Cohen, H C Rumpeen, J Lithern, J Hislop, Miss Millard, Mrs Grusboom, P Carney, Mrs Smith, H D Luff, Jno Ross, Jno Paino, J Sehl, Mr O'Beherel, Mr Chapman, T L Pallitz.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—J Piercy & Co, Turner B & Co, G C Shaw & Co, H Mansell, Lenz & Leiser, Simon Leiser, G A Campbell, Langley & Co, S Kirschberg, J Fullerton, R Maynard, W H Grove, Victoria Phoenix B Co, S O'Brien, Rice Lewis & Co, C A Godson, D W Higgins, Mrs R Bazett, Fell & Co, J Hutcheson, R H Jameson, Weller Bros, M W Waitt, Lowenberg & Co, A Barker, J W Flanders, H Saunders, J McMillan, F R Stewart, R Kenny, Thos Earle, W Lough, E Wall & Co, J H Warner, J Colbert, and Dom Ex Co.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Weeks & Robson, J A Ritchie, Simon Leiser, R B Oxley, Chas Braund & Co, and G N Exp Company.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Wilson Bros, R A Brown & Co, Weiler Bros, Langley & Co, R Lettice, Eli Harrison, R Atkins, W J Cusack, Union Colliery Co, S Leiser & Co, Fell & Co, Vaie & Brooks, J Wright, E B Marvin & Co, and Albert Voss.

A SEVERE ILLNESS—

Or perhaps death itself—may be postponed by the use of pure drugs properly prepared.

JONES 36 GOVERNMENT STREET,

Sells drugs of guaranteed purity, accurately dispensed. ALWAYS OPEN.

PERSONAL.

T. Dun, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

C. H. Babb, of Seattle, is a guest at the Driard.

S. Oppenheimer and B. I. Short, of Vancouver, are in the city.

Dr. Milne and D. W. Gillies returned from the Mainland last night.

T. H. Allice has returned from a business visit to Cariboo and Kootenay.

Mrs. A. W. Hardie, of Kamloops, is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. D. Pope.

W. Guipin and W. Rebelys, of Amsterdam are registered at the Driard.

F. E. Coles, of the Hudson's Bay Co., returned from the Mainland last evening.

Frank L. Colletz, Brooklyn, N.Y., and R. G. Penn, Vancouver, are guests at the Victoria.

M. B. King and J. Waring, Seattle, and W. Shaw, Duncan, are guests at the New England.

A. H. SCAIFE, W. L. Sinton and Hewitt Bostock, all of this city, have organized The Comparative Synoptical Chart Co., Ltd. Incorporated, with a capital of $10,000, and headquarters in this city.

THE by-laws of the British Columbia board of dental examiners are published in full in the Gazette of yesterday, together with the lists of the subjects upon which applicants will be examined, and the names of the examiners.

THE Kootenai Hydraulic Mining Co. (foreign), of Rochester, N. Y., a company incorporated with capital of $500,000, was registered here on the 3rd inst., with power to acquire and operate gold and silver mines and reduction works near the Pend d'Oreille river, or elsewhere in the province of British Columbia.

THE following officers have been elected for the Provincial Medical Association: President, Dr. J. M. Lefevre; vice-president, Dr. J. A. Duncan; registrar, Dr. G. L. Milne; treasurer, Dr. McGuigan. A meeting has been called for this evening to consider the advisability of forming a new association.

THE regatta committee of the Queen's birthday celebration last night decided that all the races shall start and finish at the starter's barge. Mr. W. J. H. Holmes and Mr. A. J. Dallain were appointed a committee of two on prizes, and the secretary was instructed to notify the general committee that at the next meeting a motion would be brought forward to reconsider and rescind the decision not to have a reception barge. The general secretary has been notified that the C.P.N. Co. have agreed to issue round trip tickets to Vancouver or Westminster, good for May 23, 24 and 25, for $2.

THERE was an excellent attendance, mostly of young folk, at the musical entertainment given in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. The programme was presented by the children of the Sunday school, who were specially costumed for the occasion and who succeeded in admirably entertaining their guests. The various items on the programme were: "Mother Goose," instrumental duet, Francis and Nellie Fraser; club swinging, Francis Fraser, B. Cameron, Katie Johns and Mazie Lang; song, Francis Fraser; dumb bell swinging, Nasie McMicking, and floral chorus.

Cash and deed boxes at T. N. Hibben & Co.

Drink Excelsior XXX English Ale and Lager Beer. It is the best.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

PEACE AT LAST.

The Treaty as Originally Concluded Agreed to by China and Japan.

Russia Disclaims any Aggressive Designs on Manchuria—Her Attitude Purely Defensive.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—An official dispatch from Tokio, received at the Japanese legation this afternoon, states that the ratifications of the treaty of peace between Japan and China were exchanged at Chefoo on Wednesday. No change was made in the text of the treaty as originally concluded. The Japanese government will renounce the permanent possession of the Liao Tung peninsula on condition that the arrangements providing the terms and form of renunciation shall be reserved for adjustment between itself and the government of China. This latter stipulation is construed to mean that Japan will not surrender the peninsula until a suitable indemnity shall have been paid, and that it may be even agreed between Japan and China that the possession of Port Arthur itself will be retained by the Japanese for a terms of years extending beyond the date when the indemnity has been paid in full, thus assuring to Japan not alone the payment of the indemnity itself, but sufficient time to safeguard herself against anything like a war of reprisal.

LONDON, May 9.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Berlin says that the Tageblat prints a dispatch from St. Petersburg stating that up to Sunday it was believed Japan would refuse to give up Port Arthur. Orders were given to mibolize troops 110,000 in the Irkutsk and Tomsk districts and a credit of 30,000,000 roubles was opened.

A dispatch to the Times from Chefoo says the ratifications of the treaty of peace between China and Japan were exchanged at midnight. The dispatch adds that Russia disclaims any aggressive designs against Manchuria and asserts she is acting on a purely defensive footing against Japan.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S LOAN

To Be Placed on the London Market To-day at Ninety-Five.

LONDON, May 9.—To-morrow has been fixed as the time for placing upon the market the new British Columbia loan of £420,000, in three per cent. inscribed stock, redeemable July 1, 1941. The issue price has been fixed at 95. Premier Turner has been in London for some weeks in connection with this matter.

DELEGATES DELAYED.

The Steamer "Glad Tidings" With the Northern Representatives to Conference Has Not Yet Arrived.

Considerable uneasiness was felt yesterday by the members of the Methodist conference at the non-arrival of the mission steamer Glad Tidings with the Fort Simpson contingent aboard. The little steamer was seen at Bella Bella by those aboard the Boscowitz, downward bound, Thursday, and the day after the Glad Tidings made Namo, fifty miles this side of Bella Bella. Since then nothing has been heard of her, though she should have been here by Tuesday at latest. During the session of the conference yesterday attention was directed to the fact of her non-arrival, and Rev. Messrs. Raley, Green and Calvert, with Messrs. Odlum, Haggart and Jessop, were appointed a committee to secure all possible information concerning the steamer's whereabouts. Aboard the Glad Tidings were ten people. They were, besides Capt. Oliver, commanding, Rev. T. Crosby, Rev. Mr. Jennings, Rev. Mr. Pearce, and Messrs. Robinson and Nicholas, lay delegates to the conference. Mrs. Nicholas accompanied her husband, and there were also on board a Salvation Army officer and two Indians. Rev. Mr. Raley, after interviewing Collector Milne and Superintendent Hussey, has formed the opinion that the machinery of the Glad Tidings was not in proper condition to make the trip from Simpson, and he thinks it has broken down and the steamer has put in somewhere above Queen Charlotte Sound for repairs.

DR. A. A. SUTHERLAND, Cloverdale, and Dr. E. J. Bower, of Rossland, Kootenay, have, after examination, been admitted to the practice of medicine.

AT the Driard last evening Rev. W. Leslie Clay united in marriage Mr. James Hislop and Miss Jessie H. Milland, both of Portland. General Roberts, U. S. Consul, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Ure, deputy consul, and Miss Hartnagel were present.

AT the missionary anniversary of the Methodist conference last night interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. P. C. L. Harris, Rev. S. S. Osterhaut and Rev. James Woodsworth, superintendent of missions for the Northwest, Manitoba and British Columbia.

OF excellent quality was the programme provided by the members of the Y.L.I. for their entertainment in the A.O.U.W. hall last evening. Unfortunately many arrived late, and while they had the pleasure of participating in the dance, they missed a part at least of the concert which preceded this portion of the evening's programme. The initial concert number was a male quartette, by Messrs. Robinson, Lang, Bullen and Grizzelle; then followed club swinging by Miss A. Wolff, duet, Mrs. Wilkes and Miss Wilson; vocal solo, Miss S. McNiff; violin solo, Mr. E A. Wolff, L.C.M.; comic song, Mr. E J. Wilkes, and mixed quartette, Mrs. Wilkes, Miss Wilson, Messrs. Lang and Sehl. Afterwards a pleasant dance was enjoyed, the Bantly orchestra furnishing the necessary music and the ladies providing refreshments during the intermission.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. Sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Vancouver Lacrosse Men Enthusiastic Over the Prospect—The Chess Tournament at an End.

Yachtsmen Award a Contract—Queen's Birthday Visitors—Saturday's Baseball Event.

Lacrosse is very much alive in Vancouver. The club rooms have been fitted up and the nightly practices made as attractive as possible, lunch being served every evening to the players. The enthusiasm of the club members is in a measure due to the fact that club patrons promise the team a trip East with plenty of expenses, should they succeed in returning the pennant to Vancouver after it's long absence. The team to play Westminster on the 11th will be made up as follows: Goal, W. Quann; point, Quigley; cover, F. Miller; defence, Peard, Spain and Rounsfell; centre, D Smith; home, J. Quann, Hawman, Myers, Ralph and Campbell. The association has engaged the band to play at every match during the season.

BASEBALL.

SATURDAY'S GREAT GAME.

Arrangements have been completed for the opening baseball game of the season between the Victoria and Seattle teams tomorrow. The field is in excellent condition, and the covered grand stand will be appreciated by the large crowd that intend witnessing the game. The Seattle Athletics' nine is considered the best amateur team in the West, its record last year being of the highest order. The nine to represent Victoria has been selected. The team committee had a very delicate duty to perform, as there were splendid men available for each fielding position. This is the Amity nine in batting order: G. Partridge, 1 b.; W. Duck, l. f.; Gus Gowen, c. f.; Geo Gowen, 3 b.; S. D. Schultz, r. f.; F. Williams, s. s.; F. Widdowson, 2 b.; J. Huxtable, c.; and W. Franklin, p. Fred. Jackson, substitute.

THE WHEEL.

CLUB ROOMS SECURED.

The Victoria wheelmen's club have rented the premises at No. 4 Broughton street, formerly occupied by the Province, and yesterday commenced the work of suitably furnishing them as a permanent home for the club. The rooms will be ready in time for the reception of the Queen's Birthday visitors, and the next meeting of the club, on Tuesday, will be held in them. To-night the fancy drill corps meets for drill at 7 o'clock.

YACHTING.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY VISITORS.

Word has been received from the yacht clubs of Seattle, Anacortes, Bellingham Bay, Everett, Tacoma and Vancouver that they will be well represented at the celebration regatta, and the Seattle boats, in charge of Commodore Johnson, are announced to start from home for this port at 9:30 a.m., on Sunday, the 19th, a race being as usual arranged to commence as soon as the starting signal is hoisted by the flagship. Of the vessels of the Seattle fleet to be here this summer the most prominent, according to the P.-I., are C. F. Sweeney's Aggie, a former San Francisco crack; Scott Jones' new White Star, the Bora, Dr. Kibbie's converted deep keel American, Hooker and Barnes' remodelled Earl, and Commodore Johnson's Linda, besides the old friends—Kelpie, Rainier and Edna M. Port Blakely is to send over the Doris, Comet, Foam, Truant and Valiant; Everett, the Josephine and the Storm King, and Tacoma, the Constance, McLaren and Gracie Felitz.

THE CONTRACT AWARDED.

A meeting of the trustees of the Victoria yacht club was held yesterday, when the contract for the erection of the new club house was awarded to J. Hatch. Work is to be commenced to-day, and the building pushed forward to completion as quickly as possible. The pontoons are already ready for use.

THE TURF.

"HALMA" WINS UNCHALLENGED.

The Kentucky Derby was run yesterday at the Downs, near Louisville, in the presence of more than 10,000 spectators, and was won by Halma as he pleased. Not once did Perkins find it necessary to use the rawhide, for the colt assumed the lead from the very fall of the flag, and set the pace to the finish. He was not urged a foot of the route, and when he passed the stand for the last time there were four good lengths of daylight between the son of Hanover and the hard-ridden Basso, who was second.

CHESS.

CLOSE OF THE TOURNAMENT.

The chess tournament closed yesterday evening, and as will be seen by the following score, Mr. T. Piper carried off first honors, Mr. J. R. Hunnex capturing second. The next tournament of the club will be played in sections, making the play more exciting and less prolonged.

SCORE.

Class.	Name.	Won.	Lost.
1	T. Piper	41	7
1	J. R. Hunnex	38	10
4	B. Schwengers	35½	12½
2	W. Marchant	35	13
2	C. Schwengers	34½	13½
2	Dr. Hands	32½	15½
4	B. J. Perry	31	17
3	F. C. Berridge	29	19
3	A. Gonnason	28½	19½
2	B. Williams	27	21
5	J. Ayton	25½	22½
4	R. H. Johnston	25	23
5	B. Goward	24	24
3	P. T. Johnston	23½	24½
5	T. Lawrie	22	26
5	E. Wolff	21½	26½
4	Capt. Clarke	21	27
5	Sergt. Scanlan	21	27
5	H Lawrie	20½	27½
5	H. Scowcroft	18	30
5	Sergt. Phillips	11½	36½
5	E. C. Bour	7	41

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT HAPPENINGS.

An additional attraction for the 24th will be a cricket match at 9 a m. on Beacon Hill, between the Vancouver Colts and Victoria College.

A regatta is announced for Tuesday next by the Burrard Inlet rowing club.

The incorporation of the Victoria Yacht Clubhouse Association is announced in the Gazette of yesterday.

Vancouver's baseball team plays Nanaimo on the latter's ground to-day. It is feared that Babbit, the imported pitcher from Tacoma, will not arrive in time to aid the Terminal City in this engagement.

The spring regatta of the Western Canoe Club takes place to-morrow.

A joint meeting of the Union and Victoria gun clubs was held last evening, when Mr. H. N. Short was appointed tournament secretary. It was decided to communicate with all the clubs in British Columbia and on the Sound inviting them to take part in the coming tournament.

James E. Nicholson.

Almost Passes Belief

Mr. Jas. E. Nicholson, Florenceville, N. B., Struggles for Seven Long Years with

CANCER ON THE LIP,

AND IS CURED BY

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

Mr. Nicholson says: "I consulted doctors who prescribed for me, but to no purpose; the cancer began to

Eat into the Flesh,

spread to my chin, and I suffered in agony for seven long years. Finally, I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In a week or two I noticed a

Decided Improvement.

Encouraged by this result, I persevered, until in a month or so the sore under my chin began to heal. In three months my lip began to heal, and, after using the Sarsaparilla for six months, the last trace of the cancer disappeared."

Ayer's The Only Sarsaparilla

Admitted at the World's Fair.

AYER'S PILLS Regulate the Bowels.

FRANK LEAKE

Oshawa, Ont.

Pains in the Joints

Caused by Inflammatory Swelling

A Perfect Cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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INTERNATIONAL Y. M. C. A.

Annual Convention Opened at Springfield, Mass.—Officers Elected.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 9.—The international convention of the Y.M.C.A. opened its annual session here yesterday, about 500 delegates representing nearly forty states and territories, besides several Canadian provinces being present. C. N. Bierce, of Dayton, O., the retiring president, was in the chair. A nomination committee having been appointed consisting of one member from each state, territory and province, to bring in a list of officers for the convention, the following list was brought in and unanimously approved: President, Henry M. Moore, of Boston. Vice-Presidents, John E. Irvine, of St. John, N. B.; James Stokes, New York; Henry J. McCoy, California; S. W. Woodward, Washington City; J. W. Gilluly, Colorado; Prof. J. D. Bobyns, Mississippi; S. P. Feen, of Ohio; George Rutherford, Ohio. Secretary, Wilbur M. Lewis, Georgia. Assistant-Treasurers, T. D. Patten, Manitoba; Elgin C. VanNess, Michigan, and E. H. Gorman, Tennessee.

The principal address of the afternoon session was made by Rev. Theodore Cuyler of Brooklyn, who spoke of the "Jubilee Conference and Its Message to This Convention." T. D. Potter, president of the Springfield Y.M.C.A., then welcomed the visitors in behalf of the association. Mayor Charles Legg did the same on behalf of the city, and Rev. R. Brockaway on behalf of the churches. The bi-ennial report of the international committee given by Chairman pro tem. Frederick B. Pratt shows an increase in the property held by the Y. M. C. A. of more than $2,000,000 with a total of $16,252,875. The educational work is in a gratifying condition.

Lord Rosebery.

LONDON, May 9.—There were times in the course of Lord Rosebery's speech at the National Club last night when he faltered and appeared to lose the thread of his argument. Meanwhile he gazed about in a dazed sort of way. When he recovered he was inclined to end his remarks but was persuaded to proceed. The Premier looked pale and worried and far from the robust man he was a few months ago.

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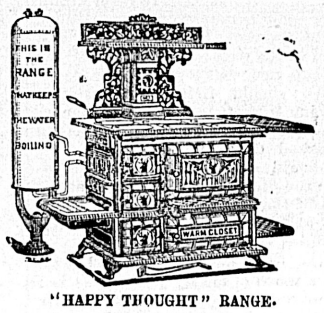

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Victoria, B.C., May 9th, 1895. my9-30t

BRITAIN'S INDEMNITY.

The Money Deposited in the Nicaragua Branch of the London Bank of Central America.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, May 9, via Galveston.—Many prominent Nicaraguans, among them some in high official positions, openly favor the establishment by the United States of a protectorate over Nicaragua, or the incorporation of the country into the great Republic. They declare that peace and prosperity would then result; the wonderfully rich natural resources of Nicaragua would be developed and a financial system be organized by which all of the country's just debts would be cancelled. The £15,000 sterling for settling the British demands has been deposited by Nicaragua in the agency of the London Bank of Central America here for payment in London in accordance with the agreement reached by Nicaragua and Great Britain.

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THIRD RACE—Grand Steeplechase, open to hunters that have not raced for public money; gentlemen riders. First prize, silver cup valued at $45.00; second prize, silver smoking set valued at $20.00.

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NOTICE.

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By order. EMIL PFERDNER,
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1895, T. No. 6.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between

Jacob Hunter Todd and Charles Fox Todd, Plaintiffs,

AND

Orlando B. Hardy, Defendant.

Take notice that this action was on the 27th day of February, 1895, commenced against you in the Supreme Court of British Columbia by Jacob Hunter Todd and Charles Fox Todd, for an account of what is due to the plaintiffs for principal, interest and costs on a mortgage dated the 7th day of October, 1891, made between you of the one part, and the said plaintiffs of the other part, for payment of the amount found due on the taking of the said account, and that the mortgage may be enforced by foreclosure or sale; And further take notice that by an order made herein this day, service of a copy of the concurrent writ herein by leaving a copy thereof and a copy of the said order with the manager, accountant or other person apparently in charge of the office of R. P. Rithet & Company, Limited Liability, and sending a copy of the writ issued on the 27th February, 1895, and a copy of the notice thereof, addressed to you at Baker City, Oregon, and advertising notice of this order and the commencement of this action for eight days in the Victoria DAILY COLONIST is good and sufficient service of the writ in this action.

And also take notice that you are required to appear to the said writ within ten day after the service thereof, otherwise the action will proceed against you as for default of appearance.

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